GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
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Skill Development Centres
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Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

(a) the details and the salient features of Skill Development Centres (SDCs) along with the amount earmarked for setting up of these centres during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government has any intention to involve Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs), Voluntary Organisations and Educational Institutions to set up SDCs in the country; and

(c) if so, the details thereof including the assistance given to such organisations during the above period?

Answer

(a) to (c) National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) under Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) provides financial assistance to Training Partners. Loan is one of the mode of such assistance. NSDC has disbursed soft loan to 157 training partners during last three years as under:-

Number of Training Partners Purpose 2013-14
(Rs. in crore) 2014-15
(Rs. in crore) 2015-16
(Rs. in crore)
148 Training 232.83 125.38 118.86
9 Innovation 3.93 10.40 3.71
Total 236.76 135.78 122.57

A state/union territory wise list of NSDC's Operational Training Centres is given at Annexure. NSDC has been mandated to set up Model Training Centers in each district of States/UTs to run industry driven courses of high quality with focus on employability all across India. Entities having experience in skill development and vocational training either as a single entity or as a consortium are eligible to participate under the scheme. An amount of Rs. 75 crore has been sanctioned during 2015-16 for setting up of Model Training Centres.